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## Official meetings

**Friday, 11 December 2009**

### Security Council

**Security Council Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict**

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| 10 a.m. | Closed meeting | Conference Room 6 |

**Military Staff Committee**

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| 11 a.m. | 1680th meeting (closed) | Conference Room 9 |

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia**

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| 3 p.m. | Informal consultations (closed) | Conference Room 6 |

### General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

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| 10 a.m. | 63rd plenary meeting | General Assembly Hall |

1. The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict [12]
   (a) Letter from Namibia transmitting the Report of the Kimberley Process to the General Assembly pursuant to General Assembly resolution 63/134 (A/64/559)
   (b) Draft resolution (A/64/L.26)
2. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance: Assistance to the Palestinian people: draft resolution (A/64/L.35) [70 (b)]
3. The United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy: draft resolution (A/64/L.27) [115]

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The election of two members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission (agenda item 111 (g)), scheduled for Monday, 14 December 2009, in the morning, has been postponed to a later date to be announced.

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# General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

## Main Committees

### Second Committee

3–6 p.m. . . . . 42nd meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2

1. Macroeconomic policy questions . . . . . [51]

   (a) International trade and development

   *Action on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.40*

   (b) International financial system and development

   *Action on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.19 and on a draft proposal*

2. Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference . . . . . [52]

   *Action on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.28*

3. Sustainable development . . . . . [53]

   (a) Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development

   *Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.25 and A/C.2/64/L.59*

   (e) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa

   *Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.36 and A/C.2/64/L.71*

4. Globalization and interdependence . . . . . [55]

   (b) Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption

   *Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.37 and A/C.2/64/L.64 (and statement of programme budget implications contained in document A/C.2/64/L.72*[1])

5. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly . . . . . [118]

   *Action on the draft programme of work of the Second Committee for the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly A/C.2/64/L.73*[1]

   *Oral draft decision*

6. Programme planning . . . . . [133]

7. Conclusion of the work of the Committee

[1] To be issued.

**Fifth Committee**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 (A/64/6 (Introduction)**, A/64/6 (Introduction)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.1), A/64/6 (Sect.1)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.2), A/64/6 (Sect.3), A/64/6 (Sect.4), A/64/6 (Sect.4)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.5), A/64/6 (Sect.5)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.6), A/64/6 (Sect.7), A/64/6 (Sect.7)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.8), A/64/6 (Sect.9), A/64/6 (Sect.10), A/64/6 (Sect.11), A/64/6 (Sect.11)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.12), A/64/6 (Sect.13), A/64/6 (Sect.13)/Add.1, A/64/6 (Sect.14), A/64/6 (Sect.15), A/64/6 (Sect.16), A/64/6 (Sect.17), A/64/6 (Sect.17)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.18), A/64/6 (Sect.19), A/64/6 (Sect.20), A/64/6 (Sect.21), A/64/6 (Sect.22), A/64/6 (Sect.22)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.23), A/64/6 (Sect.24), A/64/6 (Sect.25), A/64/6 (Sect.26), A/64/6 (Sect.27), A/64/6 (Sect.27)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.28), A/64/6 (Sect.28A), A/64/6 (Sect.28B), A/64/6 (Sect.28C), A/64/6 (Sect.28D), A/64/6 (Sect.28D)/Add.1, A/64/6 (Sect.28E), A/64/6 (Sect.28F), A/64/6 (Sect.28G), A/64/6 (Sect.28G)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.29), A/64/6 (Sect.29)/Corr.1, A/64/6 (Sect.30), A/64/6 (Sect.31), A/64/6 (Sect.32), A/64/6 (Sect.33), A/64/6 (Sect.34), A/64/6 (Sect.34)/Add.1, A/64/6 (Sect.35), A/64/6 (Sect.36), A/64/6 (Income Sect.1), A/64/6 (Income Sect.2), A/64/6 (Income Sect.3), A/64/89, A/64/86, A/63/151, A/63/151/Corr.1, A/63/151/Add.1, A/64/7, A/64/73, A/64/73/Corr.1, A/64/74, A/64/16 (chapter II.A), A/64/201, A/64/203, A/64/203/Corr.1, A/64/203/Add.1, A/64/477, A/64/380, A/64/7/Add.9, A/64/355, A/64/531, A/64/95, A/64/95/Add.1, A/64/96, A/64/96/Add.1, A/64/472, A/64/7/Add.8, A/64/6 (Sect. 33)/Add.1, A/64/6 (Sect. 28D)/Add.1, A/64/7/Add.11 and A/64/511))

3–5 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 143 and 144 (Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994; and Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 (A/64/478, A/64/538, A/64/476, A/64/512 and A/64/555))

5–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011: Construction of additional office facilities at the Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa and the United Nations Office at Nairobi (A/64/486 and A/64/7/Add.12))

## General Assembly

**Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10

1. General security situation within Afghanistan and other high threat locations
2. PBI – Myanmar

3. PBI – Counter-terrorism
4. PBI – Convention against Corruption
5. Executive session

### United Nations Dispute Tribunal

Hearings

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 8

3–6 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 9

### United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

**Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf**

Resumed twenty-fourth session

There will be closed meetings of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 11 December 2009, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m., at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

## Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

**Friday, 11 December 2009**

*General Assembly*

**Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development" (under agenda item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Colombia)**

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber

## Other meetings

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**Friday, 11 December 2009**

**Group of 77 (on humanitarian assistance)**

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 7

**Group of 77 (on the draft resolutions on causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa; and on the New Partnership for Africa's Development)**

11 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D

**Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)**

1.15–2.45 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5

## Other activities

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**Friday, 11 December 2009**

**UNITAR Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy**

From 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A.

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Ms. Tamar Kherlopian, UNITAR (e-mail tamar@unitarny.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

**Remembrance of the second anniversary of the bombing of the United Nations premises in Algiers (organized by the Staff Council Standing Committee on the Security and Independence of the International Civil Service, UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS Staff Council, the United Nations Staff Union and the United Nations International Civil Servants Federation (UNISERV))**

From 9.45 to 10 a.m., in the General Assembly Building Public Lobby, in front of the United Nations flag mounted outside the Meditation Room.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Guy Candusso, Staff Council Standing Committee (e-mail candusso@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7074).]

## Forthcoming official meetings

### General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

**Main Committees**

**Fifth Committee**

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Monday, 14 December 2009, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

**Sixth Committee**

The Sixth Committee will hold its 27th meeting on Monday, 14 December 2009, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

## Security Council

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism**
Briefing

The Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, H.E. Mr. Ranko Vilović (Croatia), and the Executive Director of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED), Mr. Mike Smith, will give an informal briefing to interested Member States on recent developments in the work of the Counter-Terrorism Committee and CTED. The briefing will take place on Wednesday, 16 December 2009, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1.

## General Assembly

**Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations**
Briefings

There will be an informal briefing by the Secretariat to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations on "Capabilities development: Strengthening of the Office of Military Affairs; Rapidly deployable capacities and the United Nations standby arrangements system; Reimbursement; Mine action; and Personnel issues", on Tuesday, 15 December 2009, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4.

There will also be an informal briefing by the Secretariat to members of the Special Committee on "Capabilities development: Peacekeeping critical shortages; the Capability-driven approach: linking operational standards, capacity-building support and incentives; and Training", on Wednesday, 16 December 2009, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4.

## Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session of 2009

The Economic and Social Council will meet on Tuesday, 15 December 2009, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber, to fill outstanding vacancies in its subsidiary bodies; to elect three members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission; and to consider other outstanding issues before the Council. The Council will also hear briefings by Dr. David Nabarro, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Food Security and Nutrition, on the work of the Secretary-General's High-level Task Force on the Global Food Security Crisis; and by Ms. Lila Ratsifandrihamanana, Director of the FAO Liaison Office in New York, on the outcome of the World Summit on Food Security, held in Rome from 16 to 18 November 2009. The Council will furthermore follow up on ECOSOC decision 2009/258, pertaining to paragraph 56 of the outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development.

### United Nations Children's Fund

**Executive Board**
First regular session 2010

The first regular session 2010 of the Executive Board of UNICEF will take place from Tuesday, 12, to Thursday, 14 January 2010, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2010/1. The joint meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP will take place on Friday, 15, and Monday, 18 January 2010, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Advance copies of all documentation for the session are available at the following address: <www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_51167.html>. Member States, as well as observers and representatives of other organizations attending the session, are requested to send their credentials to the Office of the Secretary of the Executive Board of UNICEF (e-mail jpiccolominigeary@unicef.org; fax 1 (212) 326-7096), as early as possible, but no later than *Tuesday, 5 January 2010.*

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedures and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

The first regular session 2010 will be preceded by an informal pre-session information briefing on major issues before the Executive Board of UNICEF on Tuesday, 15 December 2009, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

## Forthcoming other meetings

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**Western European and Other States Group (extraordinary meeting)**

*Monday, 14 December 2009,* from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

**Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)**

*Thursday, 17 December 2009,* from 3 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

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**International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties**

*Tuesday, 15 December 2009*, from 9 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room 7.

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**Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)**

*Thursday, 17 December 2009*, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

## Forthcoming other activities

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**Special events on the occasion of International Migrants Day 2009**

**Panel discussion on "The protection and empowerment of stateless persons" (organized by the Committee on Migration of the Conference of Non-Governmental Organizations in Consultative Relationship with the United Nations (CONGO) and sponsored by the Permanent Mission of Argentina)**

*Thursday, 17 December 2009*, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mrs. María Inés Martínez, Permanent Mission of Argentina (tel. 1 (212) 688-6300, ext. 221); or Dr. Rosa Resnick, CONGO Committee on Migration (e-mail rosa.resnick@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 362-0377).]

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**UNITAR Migration and Development Series: Panel discussion on "Migration through the eyes of young people" (organized in collaboration with the International Organization for Migration, the United Nations Population Fund and the MacArthur Foundation)**

*Friday, 18 December 2009*, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room A.

[All are invited to attend. To register, please visit the following Web site <www.unitar.org/ny/event_registration>. For further information, please contact Ms. Sarah Rosengaertner, UNITAR (e-mail rosengaertner@un.org).]

## Announcements

**Effects of armed conflicts on treaties**

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the draft articles on the effects of armed conflicts on treaties, as adopted by the International Law Commission, on first reading, at its sixtieth session in 2008 (General Assembly resolution 63/123 of 11 December 2008, operative para. 5 (A/RES/63/123)), is *Friday, 1 January 2010*. Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065, 380 Madison Avenue; fax 1 (212) 963-1963). In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to the following address: ilcweb@un.org.

## Security Council

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# Summary of official meetings

**Wednesday, 9 December 2009**

## General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

### Main Committees

#### Second Committee

41st meeting

*Information and communication technologies for development* . . . . . [50]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.26 and A/C.2/64/L.62*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.62 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Guinea), in the course of which he orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.62.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.62, as orally corrected.

Following the adoption of the draft resolution, a statement was made by the representative of the Sudan, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.62, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.26 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

*Macroeconomic policy questions* . . . . . [51]

*(a) International trade and development*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

*Action on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.50*

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of the Sudan, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 108 votes to 2, with 53 abstentions.

Before the vote, a statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of the United States. After the vote, a statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Sweden (on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Turkey, Croatia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Montenegro; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia).

*(c) External debt and development: towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.69.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.9 and A/C.2/64/L.69*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.69 contained no programmed budget implications.

A statement was made by the Vice-Chair (El Salvador), in the course of which he orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.69.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.69, as orally corrected.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.69, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.9 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item.

*Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference* . . . . . [52]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.66.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.43 and A/C.2/64/L.66*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.66 contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.66.

Before the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.66, a statement was made by the representative of Nicaragua.

After the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.66, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Sweden (on behalf of the European Union) and Chile.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.66, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.43 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

*Sustainable development* . . . . . [53]

*(a) Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

*Action on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.22/Rev.1*

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the revised draft resolution.

A statement was made by the Rapporteur (Ireland), in the course of which she orally corrected the revised draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of Tajikistan, in which he announced that Canada, France, Germany, Mongolia and Slovenia had joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution.

Subsequently, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, El Salvador, Greece, Haiti, Israel, Italy, Monaco, the Republic of Moldova, the Russian Federation and the Solomon Islands joined in sponsoring the revised draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution.

Before the adoption of the revised draft resolution, statement was made by the representative of Cuba, to which the Secretary of the Committee and the Director, Office for Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, responded.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.25 and A/C.2/64/L.59*

Following a statement by the Secretary, the Committee deferred action on the draft resolutions.

*(e) Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.67.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.31 and A/C.2/64/L.67*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.67 contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.67.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.67, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.31 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

*(f) Convention on Biological Diversity*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.29 and A/C.2/64/L.57*

The Secretary of the Committee read out an operational note from the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management and a statement of programme budget implications in connection with draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.57.

A statement was made by the Rapporteur (Ireland), in the course of which she orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.57.

A statement was made by the representative of Cuba, to which the Secretary of the Committee and the Director, Office for Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, DESA, responded.

A clarification was also provided by the representative of Antigua and Barbuda, in her capacity as the Facilitator of draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.29 and A/C.2/64/L.57.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.57, as orally corrected.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.57, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.29 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item.

*(g) Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its twenty-fifth session*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.65.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.30 and A/C.2/64/L.65*

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications with regard to draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.65.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.65.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.65, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.30 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item.

*(i) Promotion of new and renewable sources of energy*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.60.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.33 and A/C.2/64/L.60*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.60 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Rapporteur (Ireland), in the course of which she orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.60.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.60, as orally corrected.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.60, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.33 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item.

*Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)* . . . . . [54]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.70.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.32 and A/C.2/64/L.70*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.70 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Rapporteur (Ireland), in the course of which she orally revised draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.70.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.70, as orally revised.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.70, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.32 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

*Globalization and interdependence* . . . . . [55]

*(a) Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.63.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.13 and A/C.2/64/L.63*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.63 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Guinea), in the course of which he orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.63.

A statement was made by the representative of Belarus, in his capacity as Facilitator of the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.63, as orally corrected.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.63, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.13 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.41 and A/C.2/64/L.61*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.61 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Vice-Chair (Guinea), in the course of which he orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.61.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.61, as orally corrected.

After the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.61, a statement was made by the representative of Nicaragua.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.61, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.41 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item.

*Eradication of poverty and other development issues* . . . . . [57]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Following a statement made by the representative of Cuba, the Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.4/Rev.2.

*Action on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.4/Rev.2*

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of Guatemala, on behalf of the other sponsors listed in the draft resolution, in the course of which he announced that Cyprus,

Djibouti, Eritrea, Lithuania, Montenegro, Poland, Seychelles and Slovakia had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.4/Rev.2.

Subsequently, Afghanistan, Albania, the Czech Republic, Lesotho, Malta, the Republic of Moldova and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.4/Rev.2.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Before the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of Nicaragua, Cuba, the Plurinational State of Bolivia and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of Chile, Colombia, Sweden (on behalf of the European Union) and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

*(b) Women in development*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.44 and A/C.2/64/L.58*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.58 contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.58.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.58, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.44 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item and agenda item 57 as a whole.

*Agriculture development and food security* . . . . . [60]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

The Committee agreed to the proposal of the Chair to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceed to act on draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.68.

*Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/64/L.27 and A/C.2/64/L.68*

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.68 contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the Vice-Chair (El Salvador), in the course of which he orally corrected draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.68.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.68, as orally corrected.

Following the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.68, statements were made by the representatives of the Sudan (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Brazil and Cuba.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.68, draft resolution A/C.2/64/L.27 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

*Organization of work*

A statement was made by the Chair.

**Thursday, 10 December 2009**

## Security Council

6235th meeting *Non-proliferation*

*Briefing by the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006)*

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by H.E. Mr. Yukio Takasu, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006).

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States, France, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, the Russian Federation, China and the United Kingdom.

6236th meeting *The situation in Burundi*

*Sixth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Integrated Office in Burundi (S/2009/611)*

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to the representative of Burundi, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Youssef Mahmoud, Executive Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Integrated Office in Burundi.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to H.E. Mr. Peter Maurer, Permanent Representative of Switzerland and Chair of the Country-Specific Configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission on Burundi.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Mr. Mahmoud and H.E. Mr. Maurer.

The Council heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Augustin Nsanze, Minister for External Relations and International Cooperation of Burundi.

6237th meeting (closed) *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

*United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo*

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 10 December 2009, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 6237th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure, via video teleconference, by Mr. Alan Doss, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

"Members of the Council, Mr. Doss and representatives of participating troop-contributing countries had an exchange of views."

## General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

61st plenary meeting

*Promotion and protection of human rights: human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (A/64/439/Add.2 (Part I))* [69 (b)]

Under rule 66 of its rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the report of the Third Committee that was before the Assembly.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/64/439/Add.2 (Part I)) (resolution 64/82).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 69.

*Promotion and protection of human rights: Special Meeting at the end of the International Year of Human Rights Learning* . . . . . [69]

The President made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Benin, the United States, Thailand, Kazakhstan, Pakistan and Switzerland (also on behalf of Costa Rica, Italy, Morocco, the Philippines, Senegal and Slovenia).

The General Assembly thus concluded the Special Meeting to mark the end of the International Year of Human Rights Learning.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 69.

*Programme of work*

The General Assembly decided to extend the work of the Second Committee until Friday, 11 December 2009.

62nd plenary meeting

*Reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)*

The Rapporteur of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) introduced the reports of the Committee on agenda items 27 to 39, 118 and 133.

Under rule 66 of its rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) which were before the Assembly.

The representative of Nicaragua made a statement on a point of order.

*University for Peace: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/401)* . . . . . [27]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/64/401) (resolution 64/83).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 27.

*Assistance in mine action: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/402)* . . . . . [28]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/64/402) (resolution 64/84).

The representative of Turkey made a statement in explanation of vote after adoption.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 28.

*Effects of atomic radiation: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/403)* . . . . . [29]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 9 of its report (A/64/403) (resolution 64/85).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 29.

*International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/404)* . . . . . [30]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 13 of its report (A/64/404) (resolution 64/86).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 30.

*United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/405)* [31]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 16 of its report (A/64/405), as follows:

| | *Yes* | *Against* | *Abstentions* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 64/87) | 168 | 1 | 7 |
| Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 64/88) | 166 | 7 | 4 |
| Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 64/89) | 167 | 6 | 4 |
| Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 64/90) | 168 | 6 | 3 |

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 31.

*Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/406)* [32]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to V recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 16 of its report (A/64/406), as follows:

| | *Yes* | *Against* | *Abstentions* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 64/91) | 92 | 9 | 74 |
| Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 64/92) | 168 | 6 | 4 |
| Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 64/93) | 167 | 7 | 3 |
| Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 64/94) | 162 | 9 | 5 |
| Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 64/95) | 166 | 1 | 11 |

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 32.

*Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/407)* . . . . . [33]

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/407).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 33.

*Questions relating to information: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/408)* . . . . . [34]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 12 of its report (A/64/408) (resolution 64/96).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 13 of its report (A/64/408).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 34.

*Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/409)* . . . . . [35]

By 171 votes to 0, with 4 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (A/64/409) (resolution 64/97).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 35.

*Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/410)* [36]

By 173 votes to 2, with 2 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (A/64/410) (resolution 64/98).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 36.

*Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/411)* [37]

By 123 votes to 0, with 53 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (A/64/411) (resolution 64/99).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 37.

*Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/412)* [38]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (A/64/412) (resolution 64/100).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 38.

*Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/413)* [39]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to VI recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 22 of its report (A/64/413), as follows:

| | *Yes* | *Against* | *Abstentions* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Draft resolution I (resolution 64/101) | | Adopted | |
| Draft resolution II (resolution 64/102) | | Adopted | |
| Draft resolution III (resolution 64/103) | | Adopted | |
| Draft resolution IV (resolution 64/104) | | Adopted | |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 64/105) | 173 | 3 | 1 |
| Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 64/106) | 172 | 3 | 2 |

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 23 of its report (A/64/413).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 39.

*Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/414)* [118]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 5 of its report (A/64/414).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 118.

*Programme planning: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/415)* [133]

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/415).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 133.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) before it.

*Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009): report of the Fifth Committee (A/64/553)* [163]

Under rule 66 of its rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the report of the Fifth Committee that was before the Assembly.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fifth Committee in paragraph 6 of its report (A/64/553) (resolution 64/107).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 163.

*Global health and foreign policy* [123]

*(a) Note by the Secretary-General (A/64/365)*

*(b) Draft resolution (A/64/L.16)*

The representative of South Africa made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/64/L.16.

Statements were made by the representatives of Sweden (on behalf of the European Union and those countries that aligned themselves with the statement), Thailand (on behalf of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations), Saint Kitts and Nevis (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), China, Japan, the United States, Mexico and Bangladesh.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/64/L.16 (resolution 64/108).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 123.

*Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations* [117]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item to the sixty-fifth session and to include it in the provisional agenda of the sixty-fifth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 117.

*Programme of work*

The General Assembly was informed that consideration of sub-item (g) of agenda item 111 (Election of two members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission), sub-item (h) of agenda item 112 (Appointment of members of the Consultative Committee of the United Nations Development Fund for Women) and sub-item (b) of agenda item 3 (Report of the Credentials Committee) scheduled for Monday, 14 December 2009, were postponed to a later date to be announced.

## Main Committees

### Fifth Committee

19th meeting

*Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994* . . . . . [143]

*Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991* . . . . . [144]

The Committee began its consideration of these agenda items.

The Assistant Secretary-General/Controller introduced the reports of the Secretary-General (A/64/478, A/64/538, A/64/476 and A/64/512).

The Vice-Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/64/555).

Statements were made by the representatives of Sweden (on behalf of the European Union, the candidate countries Croatia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Montenegro and Serbia; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Armenia which aligned themselves with the statement), Angola (on behalf of the African Group), Canada (on behalf of Australia, New Zealand and Canada), the United States, the Russian Federation and South Africa.

The Assistant Secretary-General/Controller replied to a question raised.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of these items.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on these items would begin following the adjournment of the formal meeting, in Conference Room 5, under the chairmanship of Mr. Paul Ballantyne (New Zealand).

# Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

**[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]**

*United Nations Convention against Corruption. New York, 31 October 2003*

*Notification under article 46 (13):* Italy (10 December 2009)[1]

*Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict. New York, 25 May 2000*

*Ratification:* Bhutan (9 December 2009)[1]

*Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer. Montreal, 16 September 1987*

*Corrections to the Adjustments of the above Protocol* (2 December 2009)

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

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